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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 09/673,503

Filed: October 17, 2000

For: DATA COMPRESSING DEVICE AND

METHOD, DATA EXPANDING DEVICE

AND METHOD, DATA

COMPRESSING/EXPANDING SYSTEM AND METHOD, CODE BOOK MAKING METHOD, AND VECOTR QUANTIZING

DEVICE AND METHOD

Art Unit: To be assigned

Examiner: To be assigned

Atty Docket: 1776/00053

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136 AND FEE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.17

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s), a qualified **SMALL ENTITY**, hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows:

- One-month extension of time to respond to the Missing Requirements dated _____ (\$55.00 fee)
- XX Two-month extension of time to respond to the Missing Requirements dated November 6, 2000 (\$195.00 fee)
- Three-month extension of time to respond to the Missing Requirements dated (\$445.00 fee)
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 22-0185. If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Director is also hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 22-0185. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted.

Date: January 9, 2001

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